

PADDLERS

IT'S THE LAW!

Do not disturb or harass seabirds, marine mammals and sea turtles.

Steer Clear of Seabirds

Pass far so animals are not affected by your presence

Avoid sensitive wildlife areas, including Special Closures

Discreet viewing — use binoculars and stay back 1,000 feet (3 football fields)

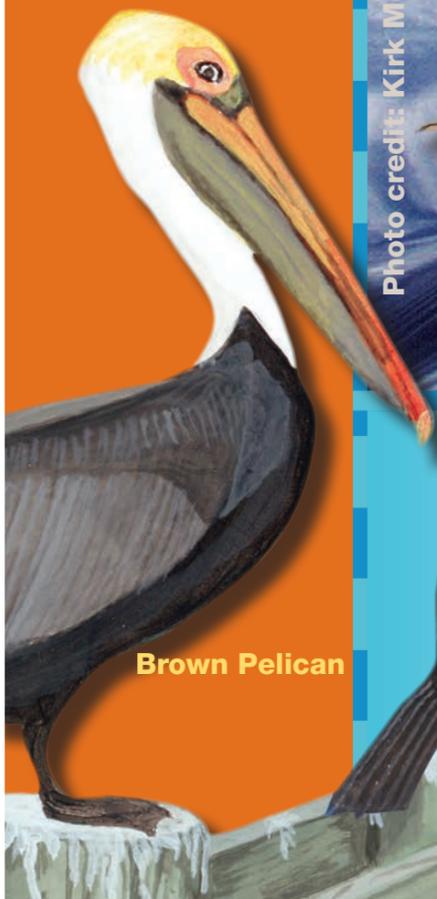
Depart immediately when you observe wildlife behavior changes

Leave wildlife alone and do not attempt to rescue them

Explain to others: protecting wildlife protects paddling access

Special Closures are closed to all watercraft. Visit <http://www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa> for more information.

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Brown Pelican



Double-crested Cormorant


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